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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent contents.

1. Specification [Total Pages 13]
 2. Drawing(s) (35USC 113) [Total Pages 3]
 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney [Total Pages 2]

a. Newly executed (Original copy)
 b. Copy from prior application (37CFR 1.63(d))
 (for continuation/divisional with Box 14 completed)

[Note Box 4 Below]
 i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
 Signed statement attached deleting
 Inventor(s) named in the prior application,
 see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

4. Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked)
 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
 copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b,
 is considered as being part of the disclosure of the
 accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by
 reference therein.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

5. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documentation)
 6. Letter under 37 CFR 1.41(c).
 7. English Translation Document (if applicable)
 8. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
 9. Preliminary Amendment
 10. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
 (Should be specifically itemized)
 11. Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.27)
 12. Certified Copy of a Priority Document(s) German Application No. 101 01 071.0 filed January 11, 2001
 13. Other: _____

14. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: _____

CLAIMS AS FILED

	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) BASIC FEE \$740.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	20	19			
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	1			
ANY MULTIPLE/DEPENDENT CLAIMS? (YES (X) NO)					
				TOTAL FILING FEE ->	\$740.00

 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application, or credit any overpayment to ACCOUNT NO. 501-519. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ 740.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

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I hereby certify that the following is being deposited with the United States Postal "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington DC 20231.

Proposed Patent Application for RAINER KUTH entitled "MAGNETIC RESONANCE APPARATUS HAVING A GRADIENT COIL SYSTEM WITH STIFFENING ELEMENTS", Consisting of specification, claims, 3 Sheets of drawings, Certified Copy of German Application 101 01 071.0, Attorney Docket No. P01,0599



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Re: Proposed Patent Application for RAINER KUTH entitled "MAGNETIC RESONANCE APPARATUS HAVING A GRADIENT COIL SYSTEM WITH STIFFENING ELEMENTS", Attorney Docket No. P01,0599

SIR:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.41 (c), I am filing the attached application with 19 claims, 3 sheets of drawings and filing fee on behalf of RAINER KUTH and request that the application papers be assigned a serial number and filing date.

On behalf of the inventor(s) I hereby claim priority from German application No. 10101071.0 filed January 11, 2001.

I request that the application be assigned a Serial No. and Filing Date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

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